



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Tetsuya IKUTA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2814**

Application Number: **10/809,809**

Examiner: **Thao X. Le**

Filed: **March 26, 2004**

Confirmation Number: **7816**

For: **SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR  
IMPROVING CARRIER MOBILITY AND REDUCING LEAK  
CURRENT (AS AMENDED)**

Attorney Docket Number: **042278**

Customer Number: **38834**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 24, 2007

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2007 for two months from July 25, 2007 to September 25, 2007.

Attached please find a check in the amount of **\$450.00** for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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